



General Assembly

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Amendment

LCO No. 5601

Offered by:

SEN. RORABACK, 30th Dist.

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 1219

File No. 292

Cal. No. 243

***"AN ACT PROPOSING COMPREHENSIVE CAMPAIGN FINANCE
REFORM FOR STATE-WIDE CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES AND
GENERAL ASSEMBLY OFFICES."***

1 After line 1925, insert the following and renumber the remaining
2 section accordingly:

3 "Sec. 41. Section 16-331a of the general statutes is amended by
4 adding subsection (o) as follows:

5 (NEW) (o) Each community antenna television company or
6 nonprofit organization providing community access operations shall
7 provide free broadcast time to each local candidate. As used in this
8 section, "local candidate" means a candidate for an office of a
9 municipality in the franchise area of the company or organization, or a
10 candidate for state representative or state senator of a district served
11 by the franchise area. Such free broadcast time shall not exceed a total
12 of thirty minutes per candidate and no candidate shall be entitled to
13 receive free broadcast time from more than one company or

14 organization."